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DPU Chairman Meets with Planning Board Over Power Line Concerns

By Edward J. Cooney

MILLBURY - The Planning Board held a special meeting with the Chairman of the Department of Public Utilities, Robert Yardley, on February 10. The meeting was called to discuss the role of the DPU in siting transmission lines and substations and in regulating the electromagnetic fields (EMFs) that are produced by power lines. Some scientists suggest a causal link between EMFs and a variety of cancers.

In June of 1990, Mass. Electric (a subsidiary of New England Power Company (NEPCO)) petitioned the town for a special permit which would have doubled the size of their substation and significantly increased the levels of EMF to neighboring homes, in some cases doubling and tripling the levels of EMF.

Town Planner Dave Hulseberg started off the informal discussion by showing Yardley a map of Millbury and the transmission lines that come in and out of New England Power Company's (NEPCO) substations on Grafton/ Providence/Cross Streets. He noted that 23 lines crisscross the town with some in close proximity to homes. "In the past five years," Hulseberg said, "most new home construction has occurred in the southeast corner of the town which is an area close to the substation owned by NEPCO."

Hulseberg explained that NEPCO initially came before the town in 1990 for a special permit to work within a flood plain. Several public hearings on the permit centered on the potential harmful effects of EMF's. The last time NEPCO met with the Planning Board, in the Fall of 1990, they told the board that they would look into reconfiguring their lines in an attempt to lower the amount of EMF's to the property of Alexander Belisle whose home abuts their power lines on Grafton Street. Subsequently, NEPCO withdrew their application for a special permit.

"Lo and behold," Hulseberg said, "since the time they said they wanted to reconfigure the lines, certain elements of their proposed project are in place or appear to be in place. The community has a concern as to what is going on at the power company's property and who is watching NEPCO," Hulseberg told Yardley. "Since they withdrew from us, our logical explanation is that they are probably trying to circumvent us and go to you (DPU)."

Yardley said he checked before coming to the meeting and found that there is no application from NEPCO at this time before the DPU. He said this was fortunate because if NEPCO had filed, there would be restraints on the discussion of the issue at this meeting. He said that once the filing process starts, the DPU is in an adjudicating position. "Again," Yardley said, "I am not an attorney, and one of the disadvantages is that issues like this can get into legal issues."

DPU Chairman Robert Yardley responds to the Planning Board's questions.

Hulseberg referred to work on a new substation on Grafton Street to the right of the existing one. "The question becomes," Hulseberg asked, "as we know the stuff is there and the DPU hasn't authorized it. how does something get there without any review?"

Yardley responded that NEPCO is stepping back and reviewing its plans. "As to the question, 'Do they need approval to put apparatus or equipment on the ground' as apparently is the case," he said, "no, I don't believe they do, but again I would have to ask an attorney."

Terry Burke Dotson asked Yardley to explain the process if a utility brings something before the DPU.

Yardley replied that if utilities want to increase rates or make physical changes they make a filing which starts an adjudicating process. He said all affected communities are notified and the announcement is published so there is no chance any equipment would get through the regulatory process before a hearing. He also said he would be surprised if NEPCO didn't call and say they are going into the adjudicatory process "as they know your concerns, unless relations have become disastrous," he said. Yardley remarked that he was not speaking on behalf of the utility.

Board member Anna Lewandowski asked if the DPU has a file on the power company's property so it can be known when something is added. "Who's to know what they have," she asked.

"We only regulate private utilities," Yardley responded. "All other utilities are billion dollar corporations. I don't think we have a situation where they are going to do something illegal," he said.

Yardley explained that the DPU shares some of its responsibility with the Energy Facilities Siting Council (EFSC). "We work closely together with them," he said. "In terms of substations, we have some jurisdiction over transmission lines and they have jurisdiction on siting of power plants."

Dotson then said, "If I understand it, then your concern (DPU) is that they are built safely."

Yardley replied, "We see if it is needed first. We all realize that people use energy and anything associated with energy such as locating a power plant in their town, nobody wants it located in their town but want it outside Massachusetts," he said.

Dotson asked again if the DPU watches the construction to see if it is safe with respect to the transfer of power through transmission lines.

Yardley said an assessment is made as to "what is needed, if there is a need, what is the best way to do it. Concerns related to the environment are given considerable weight," he said.

Yardley also said there is no doubt there are concerns over the emissions of EMFs

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"It's a serious issue for us and everyone. I don't know how anybody can say that EMF's don't cause cancer." - DPU Chairman Robert Yardley

The community has a concern as to what is going on at the power company's property and who is watching NEPCO." - Town Planner David Hulseberg

Sutton Receives Disaster Aid

SUTTON - Representative Richard Moore (D-Uxbridge) and Beverly Drover, Fiscal officer for the Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency, presented a check for $12,790 to Town Administrator Dexter Blois on Friday for Hurricane "Bob" disaster assistance. The check represented 75% of the eligible costs for reimbursement for such expenses as police and fire emergency services and clean up of public property and highways relating to Hurricane Bob. The funds are Federal monies distributed by the Federal Emergency Management Agency through the Massachusetts Civil Defense Agency and Office of Emergency Preparedness.

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Present for the presentation were (l-r) , Fire Chief John Peterson, Police Chief John Annis, Rescue Squad Captain Paul Maynard, Rep. Moore, Beverly Drover, and Dexter Blois.

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We The People...

Time to Return to the Basics

To the Editor:

The small elementary or primary school of yesterday: Dorothy Manor, Center School, Burbank, etc. Some wistful thoughts.

One sometimes wonders whether or not we pro gress' with prog' ress. I had some poignant thoughts as I drove by the old Dorothy Manor School (now a daycare center) early one morning and saw preschool kids of varying ages being so necessarily, and I'm sure lovingly, deposited for the day. Not necessarily an easy task for parent or child at an early morning hour. Mornings in a household where all must depart at a designated time can be frantic and frustrating for both parent and child. Maybe the kid wants to sleep later that day or pat the dog. Who has that kind of luxury time in this fast paced world? I could ramble, but that's the basis for this particular portrait.

Why was I wistful? In the depths of my soul, I think kids and parents need some quiet, peaceful early years. I loved the outdated(?), primary, small school. One teacher! The 3 R's!--THE BASICS! Forget the Resource Room, the computers, etc., for a while. Let the children be kids!!! I loved hearing that first grader run into school and say "Hey, Mom! I mean, Mrs._____", because he/she knew and loved the teacher. This is especially true in this age of broken families.

So desperately do our children need this continuity where, in the first four years of school, the teacher is like the parent. Kids don't need to hop from room to room and bounce from one teacher to another. That comes soon enough. Sometimes we don't pro gress' with prog'ress.

Barbara Tuttle
Millbury

Thank You...

The residents of the Millbury Congregate Housing would like to thank the Cub Scouts of Pack 109, Den 3, for the lovely Valentine Banner they so thoughtfully made for us. Special thanks to Justin Bennes, Andrew Graves, Andrew Knight, John Murphy, Andrew Raffa, Kevin and Shawn Whiterell, and Mrs. Graves and Mrs. Whiterell!

The Dudley Gendron American Legion Post of Sutton would like to express its sincere gratitude to all those families that donated the clothing and other articles to the drive that was conducted by the Post on behalf of the Homeless Veterans Shelter in Worcester. The response to the drive was tremendous as we collected 3/4 of a trailer full and delivered it to the shelter.

Another Point of View

Score One for the Able!
By Lawrence Moore

It's about time! The announcement comes at the right moment. It has been reported that our 9 and 13 year olds scored near the bottom in math and science (again). South Korea was at the top (again) of the countries surveyed. In 1980, our President promised attention to students and schools, wanting to be known as "The Education President." Also in 1988, in comparison with South Korea, England, Ireland and four Canadian provinces, in math and science our 13 year olds were at the bottom and South Korea was at the top. In over 3 years, under the Education President, we're still at the bottom.

Education Testing Service President Gregory R. Anrig said, "If a Korean 13 year old can do something, there's no reason for an American not to be able to. But we've got to figure out how to do that." Is it not unforgivable for a country like ours in which a tradition of learning is 300 or more years old to have not yet "figured out" what South Korea has "figured out?"

As a step toward "figuring it out," Senators Arthur Chase and Matthew Amorello are sponsoring a pilot program developed by Worcester Polytechnic Institute. Gifted junior and senior high school students, after passing stiff entrance requirements, will spend one or two years at WPI in advanced high school studies with emphasis on science and math. The program plans to enhance the skills of participating high school teachers at the same time.

How encouraging, and how necessary, is this forward step. How sad it is that our education system has failed in Science and Math, to say nothing of English Composition, grammar, and vocal expression.. We no longer teach civics, geography, and economics, among others. Our high school students don't understand our system of government, can't locate places on a map, and have little idea of what it takes to make money legitimately in our economic system.

We do spend massive amounts of money on our students. But we've gotten twisted and one-sided. We worry about how to lift the need to the norm, but we've ignored the effort to raise the superior to excellence. We teach bilingually. We are required to teach, if needed, in braille and in sign language. We are required to accommodate the disabled and the handicapped. "Special Ed" encompasses a staff and a student body far beyond the realization of the average taxpayer.

Yes, all of our students should have the opportunity to reach the limit of their capabilities. But unless we devote time, effort and money to "Special Ed" for those who have the capacity to run our country, our businesses, and our institutions, we will not generate the money to support the less fortunate in our society.

Congratulations to WPI, to Senators Amorello and Chase, to the Weld Administration, and to the business groups, parents and teachers who support the program. Let's hope the WPI program is replicated all over the land.

The WPI program, at long last, "Scores One" for the able!

(The opinions expressed in "Another Point of View" are strictly those of Mr. Moore and do not necessarily reflect the opinions of this newspaper.)

Pack 109 Pinewood Derby

MILLBURY - Cub Scout Pack 109 held its annual Pinewood Derby on January 31 at the Elmwood Street School. About 50 boys raced their 5oz. wooden cars down the track with friends and family watching and sharing the fun. First place went to Michael Mayer, second to William Blunt, third to Andrew Graves, and fourth to Andrew Knight. All the cars reflected the boys' originality in design. Best of Show went to John Coons. Trophies will be awarded to the boys at the Blue and Gold Banquet in March.

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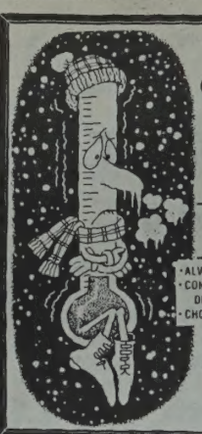

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Millbury Selectmen's Meeting Digest

Board to Consider Health Study

By Edward J. Cooney

MILLBURY - The February 11 Selectmen's Meeting was Chaired by Donald Gauthier in the absence of Chairman Jude Cristo.

Administrative Assistant Earl Chase gave a brief report on a meeting held by the Planning Board on Monday at which Department of Public Utilities Chairman Robert Yardley was present. Yardley came before the Planning Board to discuss concerns related to New England Power's (NEPCO) substation complex on Grafton/Cross/and Providence Streets and the electromagnetic fields (EMFs) that are produced by power lines. Some studies suggest a causal link between EMF's and cancer.

Chase noted that a question was raised on whether or not NEPCO had filed with the DPU for a special permit to proceed with its plans to double the size of its Millbury complex. The company withdrew its permit request from the Millbury Planning Board last year. Chase said Yardley indicated that no filing has as yet been made with the DPU.

Chase also said he was called the next morning by Mass. Electric Company (a subsidiary of NEPCO) Vice President Ted Lewis. He said Lewis wanted to know what had been discussed at the meeting with Yardley.

Chase also referred to an informational meeting conducted by *Millbury-Sutton Chronicle* Publisher Alexander Belisle, Ph.D. last Thursday on the potential hazards associated with electromagnetic fields. Chase said Robert Watkins of the State Department of Public Health was present at that meeting. "I was given his name and a telephone number to call him concerning initiating a cancer study in town. I spoke to him and he in turn referred me to a Sue Ann Condon who is Director of Environmental Assessment requesting a letter from the Board of Selectmen that a cancer study be initiated. The letter went off today and they will get back to us," said Chase.

Dog Complaint

The Board addressed two agenda items concerning a dog complaint and a review of the dog officer's budget. The dog complaint was presented by Karl Hjertberg of Grafton, owner of property at 22 Elm Court, relative to a problem he says has been going on for some time involving two dogs that consistently dump in his and other people's yards. He said he has also been bitten twice over the past three years.

Hjertberg said he didn't want to mention any names, but noted that Dog Officer George Royal is aware of the problem. He said that on one recent occasion, Royal accompanied him when he went to the property of one dog owner at which time the owner "threw a notice attached to the door at me, in my face. The dog officer did nothing," Hjertberg said. "The dog is loose and messing all around."

Hjertberg displayed photos to the Board showing the dog running loose. "I have to pick up pounds and pounds of dog mess. I tell the Board of Health, they tell me I have to pick it up as it is a health hazard. For four years nothing has been done," Hjertberg said. "No information has been sent to the dog owners. There is a leash law. I have told them about that, and they tell me to go back to the old country. They say the leash law applies only to night time and not days."

Hjertberg said one of the dogs is under a court order to be restrained. He also said he was bitten by the dog in late summer time. "All information was sent to the dog officer," he said, "nothing has been done." He also said he has written to the owner for medical costs but received no reply.

Hjertberg told the board that two dog owners in the area have put in dog runs and as a result there has been a decrease in the amount of mess. He said he is looking for a peaceful solution to the problem. He also alleged that an attempt at intimidation was made by one dog owner who said his uncle was a selectmen in town. "That was said with witnesses present," Hjertberg said. "I don't want to hear people threaten me with Selectmen power."

Gauthier asked if there was still a restraining order in effect. Hjertberg replied that there was and he is going back to court to try and get reimbursed for his medical costs.

Another resident of Elm Court, who did not identify herself, said she too has had problems and understands what Hjertberg is going through. She said her property has been used for dumping by the dogs and that they have also torn up new bushes she put in and destroyed some of her flowers.

Board of Health Chairman James Dwinell said his Board became involved in May of 1991 when they inspected Hjertberg's property and found 25 piles of dog droppings. "We sent Mr. Hjertberg a letter to clean it up, and he did."

Dog Officer George Royal said one dog was picked up and not released until it was licensed by the owner. He also said he has gone down to Elm Court on several occasions around 8:30 - 9:00 A.M. and didn't see the dogs.

It was suggested that he go down at 6:30 to 7:00 A.M. when the dogs are let out.

Hjertberg suggested that at least the town notify the owners that there is a bylaw. "That's a start," he said.

Gauthier told Royal to pick a day and go down earlier to see if the dogs are out and, if so, to pick them up. He also noted that people are given a copy of the Leash Law when they pick up a license. He told Hjertberg that the Board was not informed of the last dog bite he received. He was also told to notify the board if it happens again.

Hjertberg said he would be grateful for any help since some of his tenants have children and it's a health problem for them.

When it was suggested by Royal that he put wire on his ranch fence, Hjertberg replied it would cover only one side of the property. "You miss the point completely," he said. "There are small children. We don't want the dogs there. It's the Town's responsibility."

The Board reviewed briefly the Dog Officer's Budget for FY 92-93 and approved it for submission to the Finance Committee. Selectman Gerald Bleau requested a clarification of one section of the budget listed as "other expenses" and asked that it be broken down.

Royal said he had the figures at home and would get them to the Board.

Miscellaneous

- The Board asked Chase to get letters of resignation from Harold Ostrowski and Arthur Moore who have said they do not wish to continue serving on the Resource Recovery Advisory Committee.

- Selectman Bernard Plante, a member of the Citizens Advisory Committee for Rte 146, reported that the DPW Commissioner has indicated that the state will take a look at the section of Rte 146 that has been the site of several recent accidents. The board requested a review of the site.

- Town Counsel has advised the Board that a Town Meeting vote approving easements for fire holes on private property is valid. The town now has to contact those people who agreed to the easements to give the easements as a gift since there are no monies for that purpose.

- A hold was put on the relocation of street lights on South Main and West Main Streets for a further look by Board

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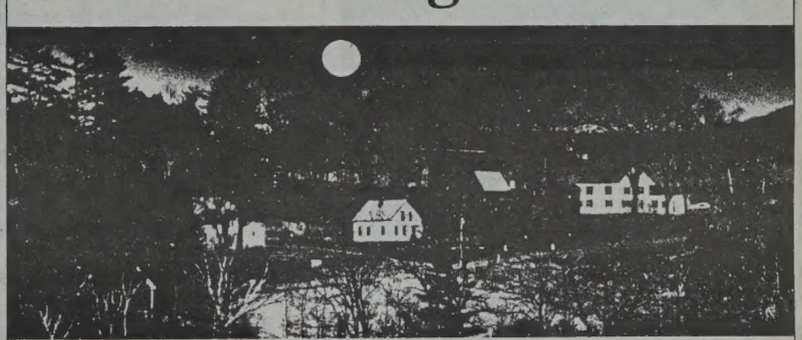

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It's Unanimous: Annis for Police Chief

By Alec G. Belisle

SUTTON - The full board of Selectmen met on February 11 for their scheduled "Workshop" meeting.

Tucker Lane

Town Administrator Dexter Blois told the board that because of the condition of Tucker Lane bridge, the town had a problem with having the heavy town equipment cross the bridge for plowing and sanding. The town has contacted a private contractor with a smaller truck equipped with a small sander who will sand the street at a reasonable rate.

Blois said residents of Tucker Lane have the petition which is needed for the Selectmen to hold a public hearing on the bridge repairs should the residents want to place an article on the Annual Town Meeting Warrant. He added that he has heard rumors that Tucker Lane residents might choose to make the necessary repairs on their own without coming before the town meeting. He added that he has not been officially notified of plans to do that.

Hartness Road

Blois reported that there has been no further construction on the Hartness Road development. He explained that Town Engineer Dick Wharton is doing a study to make sure that the town's $65 per foot estimate is correct. That estimate refers to how much it would cost to complete the work being done on Hartness should the project be abandoned. Blois told the board that the total bond amount is set on that figure. Should the figure be wrong, the change will be reflected in the new bond amount.

Appointment of Chief John Annis

Before presenting his appointment of Lt. John F. Annis, Sr. to Police Chief before the board for ratification, Blois read a letter which he sent to the selectmen.

In the letter, he explained the procedure which was followed in choosing a successor to former Chief Robert Conley. As part of the first process, the letter stated that an "assessment center" was used to rank "candidates based on their performance in exercises" conducted by the assessors. He said the results of the center corroborated the findings of the screening committee, but added that the assessment center process is not flawless.

Blois said in the letter that before the recent selection process began, he entertained the possibility of using the assessment center but felt it was "unnecessary." As the police chief selection process began, there were fewer applicants who applied, and the final list narrowed to only three candidates. Blois said the professional firms conducting assessment centers feel that "at least four to six persons are necessary to conduct a successful process."

Blois stated in his letter that he felt strongly that open and closed interviews as well as the background work done by the committee "resulted in the selection of the best-suited candidate for the position at this time." He added that he would leave open the possibility of using or not using the assessment center in the future should another chief have to be selected.

In appointing John Annis Chief of Police, Blois wrote, "John has gained the experience leading the department between several chiefs and has been successful. As second-in-command under Chief Baker, John has gained a great deal of knowledge which will benefit the department and the town."

The board voted unanimously to ratify Annis' appointment.

Selectman Wally Johnson praised Blois for his appointment of Annis and encouraged him to appoint from within the police department when the time for appointment arises again. Johnson also said it is his opinion that each and every Sutton police officer has the qualifications to be chief.

Selectman Mike Chizy remarked that the process used in the selection of Police chief "is probably one of the finest in any town." He said, having been on the first selection committee, he knows how the process works and firmly believes in it. He added that upon Baker's resignation a "couple of selectmen" wanted to circumvent the policy and appoint Annis immediately. He added that a couple of selectmen also felt the assessment center should have been held. Chizy said he was against circumventing the process, and he felt, like Blois, that the assessment center was not fool proof having produced one chief who was effective and one who was not. He said he has a great deal of faith in the process, in the committee, and in Blois' ability to choose a chief.

Board member Mary K. Connor congratulated Annis and noted that the town has been through a lot during the past two years, "some good, some bad, but I think the town is the better for it," she said.

"I will vote for the appointment of John Annis because I believe he is the best man to lead the department," said Selectman Rick LaBonte.

Annis' wife, Ruth, was asked to pin the badge on her husband after Town Clerk Ethel O'Day swore him in to office.

Dog Complaint

Kevin and Christine Sherry of Eight lots Road came before the board to answer questions relative to 12 letters of complaint presented to the board at their February 4 meeting, alleging that the Sherry's dog's aggressive behavior has made residents fear for the safety of their children. The dog, Shiloh, is a four year old Keeshond.

According to Mary Campbell, Eight Lots Road resident, whose previous testimony was corroborated by Debra Zimage, also of Eight lots Road, Shiloh attacked her son on two different occasions and has been aggressive towards her and other neighbors on many occasions.

The Sherry's did not deny that their dog attacked Campbell's son, but said that other dogs in the area also run free. Mrs. Sherry alleged that neighborhood children have taunted her dog while he was tied up in the yard.

Dog Officer Richard Wunschel said he received several complaints about the dog but did not have any hospital confirmed records of actual dog bites by Shiloh.

Johnson said he felt the dog should be restrained at all times, either on a run or on a leash when accompanied by the owner. He cautioned the Sherry's that they could suffer some serious liability if the dog were to injure someone.

Connor disagreed with Johnson, saying restraining the animal is not sufficient. She explained that in another similar, though less serious dog complaint, the owner voluntarily removed the dog from town fearing that someone might be injured.

LaBonte echoed Connor's comments fearing that the dog may get free from a run and injure a child.

Johnson amended his motion to read that the dog be confined to an enclosed kennel and controlled on a leash. The Sherry's were given 30 days to construct a kennel during which time the dog might be placed on a run, with a muzzle, and not allowed to run free.

A warrant placed upon the dog at least week's meeting is still in force. Should the dog get free, it will be picked up by the dog officer.

EPA Poem & Poster Contest

BOSTON - The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is holding its 20th annual Elementary Education Ecology Poem and Poster Contest. The contest is open to grades K-6 in all New England schools and incorporates knowledge of environmental issues with art and poems to produce an educational activity.

The program requires participating teachers to give a lesson on environmental issues and encourage the class to produce poems or posters that address an array of environmental concerns.

Entries must be submitted to EPA by March 15, 1992 and will be judged in late spring. All participating classes will receive a certificate of participation, and winners will be invited to a special award ceremony held in their honor.

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from power plants and transmission lines. "As awareness has changed, the relative cost and environmental impact is much more equal," he said.

Dotson asked again who has jurisdiction over the safety of new plants and transmission lines.

Yardley replied that he would have to get back to the Planning Board on the specifics.

Hulseberg then asked Yardley if the DPU has taken a look at the issue of EMF's.

"At this point," Yardley replied, "we have not done anything specific on this issue. We know the issue will be before us and one or two staff people are tracking the issue to get us up to speed," he said.

Dotson told Yardley that there is a serious concern related to EMF's in town because of the number of transmission lines, and she said consideration is being given to establishing an ad hoc committee to look at the cancer rate in Millbury. "I wonder if there is some way we can interact with the DPU," she asked.

Yardley replied that 90% of the work of the DPU is judicatory. He did say the department may be able to become involved in other issues by using staff people but added that he would have to check on that with an attorney.

"We are not afraid of an eyesore," Dotson said, "as we have our share, and probably more than most. We are afraid of getting sore eyes, sore brains, sore lungs and sore kidneys. That's our concern. We want power," Dotson continued. "We are not against power. We want them to do it safely. When you read that 3.0 milligauss can do harm and you live in a house that reads 12.0 inside, 19.0 outside at one property line and 36.0 at the clothesline, you get concerned. These people don't have the opportunity to leave and then come back. We have to look to the future for our children. We didn't say 'Stop'. The technology is there. It is possible to reconfigure the lines and bring the readings down to almost zero."

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Dotson noted that some studies link EMF's with an increase in childhood leukemia. She also said that the two proposed lines coming in from Uxbridge carry the power of two Seabrook nuclear plants. "We said, 'Okay, bring it in, and reconfigure the lines (to reduce the levels of EMF's.' They (NEPCO) never came back."

Selectman Roland Lachance who, along with Selectman Donald Gauthier, attended the meeting, asked Yardley if the DPU serves as judge and jury of the power plants and their byproducts.

Yardley said he would have his staff write to the town on exactly what the different jurisdictions are. As to transmission lines, he said he believes the DPU has jurisdiction over them.

> **They can bypass us and get permits. You say talk it over, well by that time it will be up. The time for talking is over. The Power Company can do what they want. That's wrong! - Planning Board Member Arthur Moore**

Dotson noted that a recent bylaw approved by the town was overturned by the Attorney General. The bylaw was passed by voters at the September special town meeting and would have limited exposure of EMF to 4 milligauss at the easement line. The bylaw was disallowed because it would have superseded the authority of the DPU and the Energy Facilities Siting Council. At that meeting, Alexander Belisle questioned whether the DPU and EFSC were fulfilling their responsibilities.

Dotson said the town's main concern is that if NEPCO does comes in with new lines, that they do it safely. "How much does it cost to change a pole to make us feel safe," she asked.

Yardley said he was not familiar with all the facts to advise the board. He did say the DPU is interested in new facilities and that the decision makers have to look at the risks, look at alternatives, and get the facts.

Hulseberg asked how the community can best react with the DPU.

Yardley said that there is a basic question as to what the DPU's jurisdiction is. He also said that once the power company files for a permit, "we have to treat all parties equally. We do get frustrated as we could push negotiations in a direction, but we as judge and jury get constrained. Before any litigation we are free to sit down with you and the company and discuss issues on an informal basis."

Dotson replied that that is what the Board is looking for. "We hoped that is what would have happened with the power company," she said. "They packed up and left."

She then asked if the DPU ever visits substations with an inspection team.

"No, not really," Yardley replied. "We get involved in the litigation side. We don't get involved in safety issues. We are more into financial issues such as rates."

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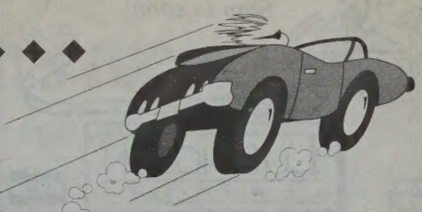

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Named Chair of School Connection

MILLBURY - The School Connection has announced the selection of Jodi Dromgoole as Chairwoman. She was one of the original organizers of the Connection and served as secretary for five years.

Dromgoole said she saw the need for organized volunteers in the school system, "to give support to both teachers and students." The Connection has grown from a few volunteers to over one hundred who participate in activities ranging from a fluoride program to tutoring. Volunteers gave 2,312 hours to the Millbury schools last year alone.

Dromgoole said there is a strong need for a volunteer program because "it gives the parents a change to participate in their children's education and, more importantly," she said, "it shows the children the importance their parents put on their education."

Dromgoole is the nurse at Elmwood Street School in addition to being an emergency room nurse at a hospital outside of Boston. She is the mother of 12 year old Erin, a seventh grader at Millbury Memorial Junior High School.

Named to Dean's List

WARWICK, RI - Dennis J. Gaboriault, of 86 Grafton St., Millbury has been named to the New England Institute of Technology's Dean's List for the academic quarter ending December 20, 1991. To qualify, students must achieve a grade point average of 3.6 or better on a maximum scale of 4.0.

Legislative Breakfast on Aging Issues

SUTTON - The Central Mass. Agency on Aging has scheduled a breakfast meeting to help elected officials learn about the concerns and needs of elders in Southern Worcester County. The meeting will be held at the Dudley-Gendron American Legion Post #414, Boston Rd., on March 6, at 8:30 a.m.

Legislators and their aides from South Worcester County and Norfolk County have been invited to attend. Senior citizens and those interested in issues affecting senior citizens are also encouraged to attend. Agenda items will include brief presentations on topics that are of concern to elders. A full breakfast will be served. The cost will be $3.50 for senior citizens and $4.50 for all others.

Those planning to attend must call Walter Swett at the Central Mass. Agency on Aging, 852-5539 to reserve.

Youth Commission

MILLBURY - The Millbury Youth Commission will conduct two assemblies at the high school to make students aware of upcoming changes and to invite student input for improving the overall quality of the Millbury Youth Center. Seventh graders will meet with the Commission and the Youth Center Director Monday, February 24, at 1:10 p.m. and 8th graders will meet Friday, February 28, at 8 a.m.

The purpose of the assemblies is to discuss how the physical environment of the facility will change, new rules, when it will re-open, and the possibility of monthly dances and a snack bar. However, more importantly, the youth Commission will hand out two questionnaires for the students to take home that will ask parents and youth what changes they would like to make in the Youth Center. The commission invites parents to help make the Center the kind of place they feel comfortable sending their kids to by filling out the questionnaire. The commission will consider all suggestions and concerns to make this community Center safe and enjoyable. While the Center building is being renovated, the Commision is working on making positive changes in the Center and giving it a fresh start.

Regional Planning Focus of Breakfast

Sutton - Regional planning will be the subject of "The Blackstone Valley in the Year 2000: Looking Backwards or Forward?," a Blackstone Valley Chamber of Commerce membership breakfast on Tuesday, March 3 from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Pleasant Valley Country Club.

Dr. John Mullen, professor and chairman of the Department of Urban Planning at the University of Massachusetts Amherst; David Hulseberg, Millbury town planner; and Peter Lowitt, Grafton town planner, will comprise the program panel. They will discuss the new possibilities for enlightened growth that now exist in contemporary regional planning.

The Chamber, through its Regional Planning Task Force, is currently in the process of developing a regional transportation model and study that will provide the means to plan for future growth as well as to assess its impact on the 11 valley communities. The panelists will offer the organization information about ways that other regions are successfully addressing growth. They will also pose the question as to whether or not the valley is bold enough to rise to the challenges and opportunities that regional planning represents.

Cost of the session is $10 per person by the early registration deadline of Feb. 27 and $15 for late registrants. To register, contact Mary Hubbard at 234-9090 or Sandra Haagsma at 753-2924.

Bingo Volunteer Sought

MILLBURY - Millbury Congregate Housing is looking for a volunteer to "call" for Bingo Night on Monday evenings 6:30-8:00 p.m. The volunteer could commit to as little as once a month or every week. There are approximately 11 residents who participate in this much enjoyed activity. Call Lisa Bennes, Congregate Coordinator, at 865-2960 for more information.

Poll Workers Sought

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members.

- A discussion on the elimination of fire alarm boxes in town was deferred until a meeting is held with the Fire Chief

- Discussions on the advisability of a member of the Board of Selectmen sitting on the Board of Directors of YOU, Inc. was deferred until all members are present. The board recently signed a lease with YOU, Inc. for the old Center School. A question of an appearance of a conflict of interest if a Selectman sits on the Board of Directors was raised at the last meeting by Chairman Jude Cristo.

Gauthier and Bleau said they do not see a conflict. Gauthier said he saw it as an opportunity for the Board to be kept informed. Bleau agreed.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10 P.M.

From My Window on Farnsworth Court

By "Pastor Rae" Cameron

This past week I spent in a hospital. I had pneumonia from one of the chemicals in my chemotherapy. Believe me, I was one sick pup, but once they knew what I had, they soon took care of it. Anyway, one more month of treatments.

Everybody has been terrific through all of this. I can't say enough good about the doctors and nurses. My roommate was another Ray, and his wife is one of our teachers at Millbury High School, and we got along just fine.

We had a student nurse for a couple of days, and while taking a breather from walking, I asked him where he was from. He said he lived in East Brookfield but was originally from Leicester. I asked him if he knew any Burtts, and he told me he was a Burtt. It turns out that one of his uncles was one of my Deacons up in Blaine, Maine. Small world.

Our daughter-in-law from Virginia came up with one of the grandchildren and stayed with my wife and provided transportation, etc. My wife was on the phone and told somebody about our daughter-in-law and, when she hung up, the little girl told her that she hadn't told them about her kid-in-law.

This morning there was a little snow on the ground, and I looked out and there were my neighbors shoveling out the driveway. God bless them. That was such a big help.

To all of you out there for your prayers, thank you very much. I really appreciate it all. The Lord bless you all real good. Amen.

Millbury Women's Club

MILLBURY - The Millbury Women's Club will meet March 2 at the First Congregational Church, West Main Street. Following a mini-luncheon at noon, a talk entitled, "Women in Jesus' Life" will be given by the Reverend Lois Rose. Co-chairwomen for this event are the Rev. Jane Haley and Arline Ball. They will be assisted by Nancy MacLeod, Betty Kotzen, Doris Blondin, Lorraine Konisky, Diane Rocheleau, Irene Sullivan, and Ruth Marble.

MHS Students Pariticpate in Heart Association Fund Drive

MILLBURY - The Millbury High School National Honor Society will ask the residents of Millbury to open their hearts on Monday, March 9, when they call to request donations in support of the American Heart Association. The students will be calling from 6-9 p.m. and hope to reach a goal of $1500.

Whitney Insurance Agency, 112 Elm Street, has agreed to host the phonathon again this year. The American Heart Association is winning the fight against this nations #1 Killer, but they are counting on Millbury residents to recognize the mission and support the cause.

Sadie Hawkins Breakfast

MILLBURY - The First Congregational Church on West Main Street will host a Sadie Hawkins Pancake Breakfast on Saturday, February 29, from 7-10 a.m. Public welcome. Tickets will be sold by church members and also will be on sale the day of the breakfast. Tickets are $5.00 for adults and $2.50 for children under 10.

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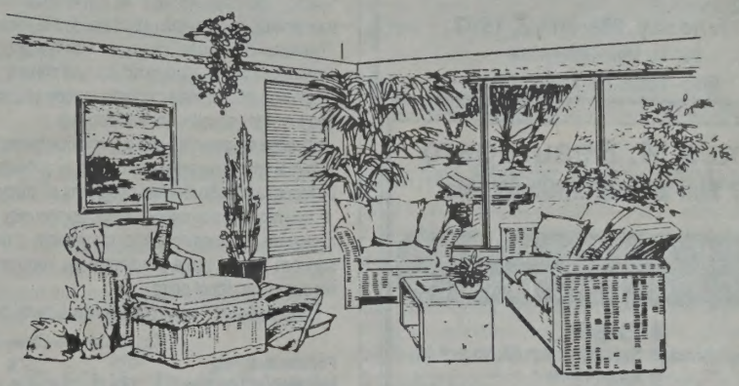
Early's Office Hours

WORCESTER - U.S. Rep. Joseph D. Early (3rd District) will hold Mobile District Office hours for Millbury and Sutton during March and April as follows: MILLBURY - March 10 and April 24, at the rear of the Post Office; SUTTON - March 11 and April 25, at the new post office at Sutton Square Mall on Rte. 146. The office will be open from 11:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Kollios Office Hours

MILLBURY - Representative Paul Kollios (D-Millbury) will hold March office hours in Millbury on the 10th and 24th from 6-7 p.m. in the selectmen's office at the town hall. He will also be at the Millbury Senior Center on March 5th. To meet with Kollios at his District office on 505 Washington St. in Auburn, call 832-9845 or (617) 722-2291 for an appointment.



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On The Shelf

By Rosemary Waltos

This is the third part of a four part series highlighting the Millbury Public Library's 1991 - 96 Development Plan for quality library and information services. All services provided by public libraries may be categorized by role, 1. e., by their function, purpose and use. All viable small libraries must fill four central roles to the extent needed in their community:
-Provision of popular materials (for reading, listening and viewing) to adults, young adults and children;
-Provision of materials and information to satisfy the needs and interests of independent learners;
-Provision of materials and information to students engaged in formal education programs offered by public/private schools, colleges, and other formal programs of study;
-Provision of information about community activities and resources, meeting space for community groups, and other services which make the library an important community resource and focal point.

Summary of Percent of Service Activity by Role

	Circulation	In-Library Use	Reference
Popular Materials	46%	27%	24%
Independent Learning	39%	40%	29%
Formal Education Support	16%	33%	46%

Percent of Cost by Role for Library Services

Popular Materials 35.60%	Independent Learning 34.64%
Formal Education Support 23.85%	Community Activities 5.91%

Service Description

Below is a description of services provided by the Millbury Public Library under each role in terms of staffing, collections, equipment, and space, with suggestions for improvement.

Popular materials

The library concentrates on developing a collection of current, high demand, high interest materials in print and non print formats for all ages. This role includes the provision of non fiction materials on topics popular locally, including current biography and travel.

The facility is arranged to encourage browsing and to provide convenient access to the collection. Special furniture is provided for reader comfort. An area with appropriate shelving and furnishings is set aside for the children's collection. Storyhour programs for children of preschool age are offered, as well as an active summer reading program for elementary/middle school age children. Many varied children's programs are offered throughout the year. Audio visual equipment is available for public loan. There is a public relations effort to promote greater library use of popular materials.

Increased and continued work needs to be done in managing space that houses popular materials collection in order to accommodate new titles.

Independent Learning

Individuals of all ages use the library to obtain information and materials for self directed learning independent of any formal educational program or agency. People may pursue independent learning for personal or work related reasons, including self improvement, career or technical environment, cultural interests, hobbies, etc. Local history and community information are included. Service provided here included assistance in use of the library and its resources. Active use of Central Massachusetts Regional Library System reference and interlibrary loan services are quickly offered when necessary.

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Little League Registration

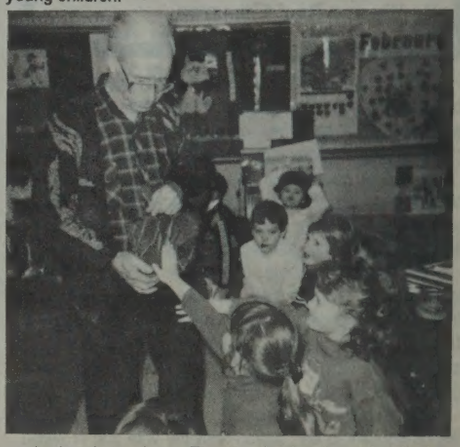
MILLBURY - Registration for Farm, Minor, Little and Senior Leagues will be held Saturday, February 22, at the Middle School from 10 a.m. to noon. All youths between the ages of 6 and 15 who want to play baseball for the 1992 season must register at this time. A youth must be 6 by July 31, 1992, but no older than 15 by July 31, 1992.

Due to insurance requirements, players who last year were on a team must still register. All youths must be accompanied by at least one parent or guardian for insurance validation.

There will be a $20.00 per family registration fee due at the time of registration. All families will be given the opportunity to have this fee refunded during the course of the season.

Program on Rocks and Fossils

MILLBURY - Anthony Thurston, retired professor of Worcester State College, and his wife, recently put on a program for each kindergarten class at the Elmwood School. The children were introduced to a variety of rocks and fossils. Thurston is well known for presenting excellent lessons for young children.



In the photo above, Thurston is showing a fossil of a dinosaur footprint to Kaitlin Burwick, Alisha Mello, John Mazzone, Walter Swenson, and Cindy Hendrickson.

Women's Bowling League

On January 28, Impatients and Daffy-dills were tied for first place. Each had 16 wins and 8 losses. No games were played on February 4, due to the storm. Below are the results for February 11th.

The three high triples were rolled by: Charlotte Gabree, a 325 with strings of 105-98-122; Pat Gaspar, a 322 with strings of 103-122-97; and Joan DeSantis, a 317 with strings of 101-118-98. Charlotte Gabree and Pat Gaspar shared the high single of 122.

Rolling 100 and over were: Charlotte Gabree, 122-105; Pat Gaspar, 122-103; Joan DeSantis, 118-101; Becky Rushton, 111-104; Kathy Marble, 109; Ellen Bouvier, 103; Ann Coons, 102; and Bette Richierri, 101.

TEAM STANDINGS	WON	LOST
Impatients	22	10
Daffy-dills	22	10
Pansies	20	12
Mums	14	18
Lillies	12	20
Phlox	6	26

HIGH AVERAGE
Pat Gaspar 102.5
Kathy Marble 97.4
Charlotte Gabree 96.9

HIGH SINGLE
Pat Gaspar 146
Kathy Marble 141
Charlotte Gabree 123

TOP TEN BOWLERS
Pat Gaspar 102.5
Kathy Marble 97.4
Charlotte Gabree 96.9
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Becky Rushton 96.3
Marge McArdle 90.5
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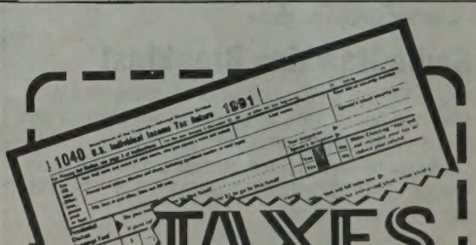

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BEACON HILL ROLL CALL

BOSTON - This week's Beacon Hill Roll Call records the votes of Senator Matthew Amorello (R-Grafton) and Representatives Richard Moore (D-Uxbridge) and Paul Kollios (D-Millbury) on roll calls from the week of February 10-14.

SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET (S 1420) - Senate 19-12, favored but failed to gain the necessary four-fifths margin to suspend rules to allow immediate consideration of a $95 million supplemental budget. Senate rules require budgets be in print for five days before action can be taken. Suspension supporters said immediate action is necessary to prevent payless paydays for state workers. Opponents said they would suspend rules only to fund the paychecks, but argued they wanted more time to understand the millions of dollars unrelated to paychecks. Amorello voted against rule suspension.

RETIREMENT BILL (H 4998, H 4999) - Senate 19-13 and 18-13 favored but failed to get the two-thirds margin necessary to suspend rules to allow immediate consideration of two bills. The first was the state workers' early retirement bill and the second was the local option retirement bill for teachers and municipal workers. Suspension supporters said these issues have been extensively debated and argued it is time for the Senate to ct. Opponents said members have only had a few hours to read the complicated new versions of these bills and argued the matters should be considered tomorrow. Amorello voted against rule suspension on both roll calls.

SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET (H 4996) - House 146-1, gave near final approval and sent to the Senate a $95 million supplemental budget. Supporters said the package was a fair and lean one which funds necessary items. Opponents objected to a section dealing with grants for school building assistance and said the current procedure was unfair to communities which have been waiting a long time for funds. Moore and Kollios voted for the budget.

RETIREMENT (H 4998) - House 76-66, accepted the House-Senate conference committee version of the early retirement bill offering incentives for up to 7000 state workers to retire early. A controversial provision allows any employee with 15 years or more of service, regardless of their age, to retire and receive between 21 and 33% of their wages based on a sliding scale. Supporters said this is a fair version which will save millions of dollars and prevent hundreds of layoffs. Opponents said the bill will no longer save $50 million but will in fact cost $19 million this year. Many said it allows young workers in their thirties to retire with a "golden parachute" and collect hundreds of thousands of dollars for the rest of their lives. Moore and Kollios voted for the bill.

TEACHERS (H 4999) - House 124-15, approved the conference committee version of the measure allowing local municipalities the option of offering early retirement benefits to teachers and other employees. Supporters said this is an option, not a mandate, which could help many cities and towns. Opponents said this new version requires the state to pay much of the costs and will cost the state some $113 million it cannot afford. Moore and Kollios vote for the bill.

UNEMPLOYMENT TRUST FUND (H 2935) - House 102-32, gave near final approval and sent to the Senate a bill increasing the unemployment insurance tax paid by businesses and changing many of the eligibility standards. Supporters said this average 30% hike from $364 to $474 a year per employee is the best way to bail out the unemployment insurance fund which faces a shortfall of over $400 million this year. Opponents said this is nothing more than a tax hike on businesses and argued it will hurt many companies and force them to move out of sate. Moore and Kollios voted for the bill.

Museum Exhibit to Feature Work of Local Student Artists

WORCESTER - Youth Art Month will open with a reception on March 8 from 1-4 p.m. in the Higgins Education Wing of the Worcester Art Museum. The exhibit will feature the work of over 500 area students in grades K-12. The festivities will include a concert by The Madrigal Singers from Westboro High School along with speakers James Welu, Director of the Worcester Art Museum and Dr. John Michael Gray, President of the Massachusetts Art Education Association. The exhibit may be seen through March 29, Monday through Friday, 9-5, and Saturday, 10-3.

Area children whose art work will be featured are: Elmwood Street School, Millbury, under the direction of teacher Karen Bouchard: Mary Young, Jason Morse, Kara Woods, Steven Elie, Ryan Racicot, Kim White, William Haddad, Terry Dotson, Heather Laflamme, and Christopher Rich.

From Sutton Jr.-Sr. High School, under the direction of teacher Tura Dudley: Pamela Brazeau, Mike Forget, Andrew Bjorn, Karin Johnson, Neil Petkus, Mike Hare, Jonathan Laydon, Kieran O'Callaghan, Jennifer Moore, Carrie Kolofsky, Michelle Philbrook, Jason DeFeudis.

From Sutton Elementary School, under the direction of teacher Ann Junnila: Timothy Raymond, Molly Johnson, Daniel Sabourin, Daniel McCarthy, Michael Chase, Amy Dziel.

Gospel Music Presentation

GRAFTON - In commemoration of Black History Month, St. Andrew's Episcopal Church will present Dr. Horace Clarence Boyer, Professor of Music at UMass-Amherst, on "The Old Ship of Zion: African American Gospel Music." This event will take place Monday, February 24, from 7-9 p.m. at the church, Route 140 in North Grafton. Admission is free. With entertaining and informative historical detail, Boyer will present a guided tour through each of the stages of the development of gospel music.

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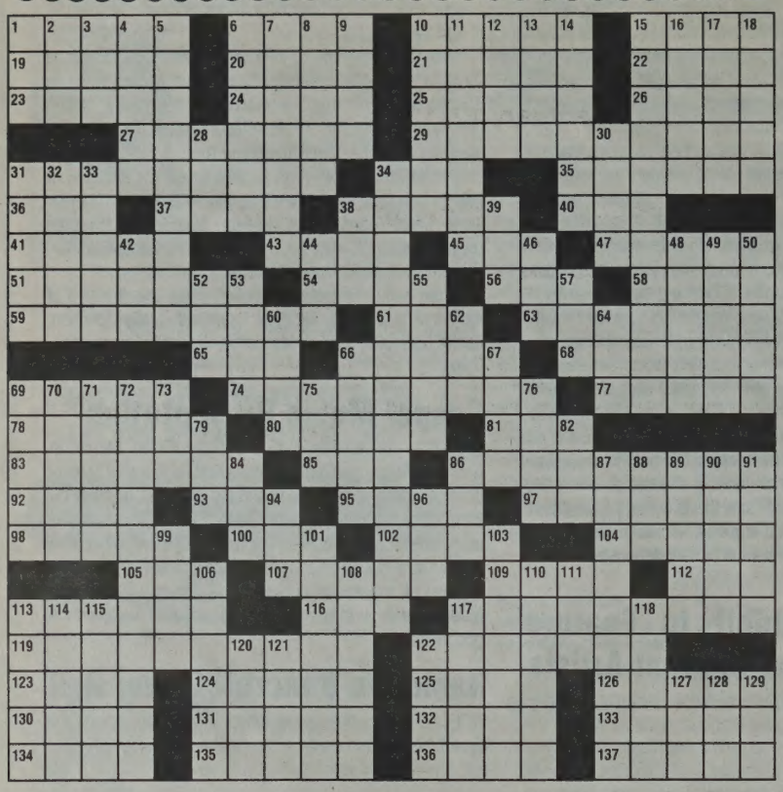

By Christopher J. Page

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15 Subject of a Wilde ballad
19 Flock of felines
20 Workplace safety org.
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22 Feudal field hand
23 Arab republic
24 Composition
25 Trojan tale
26 Cassowary's cousin
27 "— of a Murder"
29 Free-for-all
31 Blackjack's big brother
34 This, in Tours
35 Market bulls
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37 Pulpy fruit
38 Shakespeare's Katharina, for one
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51 Spins
54 Bruin Bobby's family
56 Red or Ross
58 Actor Robert De —
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65 Actor Lowe
66 Title, in Tijuana
68 Make
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77 Van Gogh studio site
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80 Early boat-builder
81 Massage
83 Type of wax
85 Sibling for sis
86 Carrot hydrocarbons
92 Lofty
93 Morning moisture
95 Wagnerian figure
97 Silly
98 Finishes off
100 See 26 Across
102 Poses
104 Dull surface
105 Naval NCO
107 Plant
109 Bears or Lions
112 Ruff's relation
113 Tigers' tracks
116 More, in Madrid
117 Passage into a fort
119 Black Maria
122 Alma mater
123 Footless creature
124 Getting older
125 Sommer of the screen
126 Prodded
130 Sagan or Reiner
131 C'est —
132 Go-getter
133 Lasso end
134 Or —: otherwise
135 Gloomy
136 — 500
137 Cobra or cottonmouth

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2 After due
3 Edge
4 Perfect
5 Small-time
6 Flute sound
7 Wed
8 General Tom
9 "— does it"
10 Miss Muffet's chaser
11 Took the helm
12 — regulation: golf term
13 "— instant"
14 "Oh — good"
15 Manipulate redistricting
16 "...woman who lived in —"
17 "— the other"
18 Divulges
28 Play a part
30 Chicago hoopster
31 Prickly seedcases
32 TV — cards
33 Ready, in Remedios
34 Jogger's problems
38 Mate for maam
39 Existed
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44 Fraternal org.
46 Ask for alms
48 Word for bore or basin
49 Minotaur's milieu
50 Sharpens
52 Leave the straight and narrow
53 Shortly
55 "Marie" and "Dinah"
57 Intoxicating liq.
60 West Scottish resort
62 Court
64 Altar in the sky
66 Trap
67 — avis
69 Takes it easy
70 Ryan or Tatum
71 Florida citrus city
72 Pamper
73 — Lanka
75 Hill in San Francisco
76 Sod
79 Word with wide or tight
82 Raspberry for Strawberry?
84 Diadem adornment
86 Witch's pet
87 Portable arms
88 High note
89 Part of TNT
90 Organic compound
91 Bed linen
94 Great distress
96 Performed
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106 Bridge expert Jacoby
108 Sausage, in Soho
110 Queen of fiction
111 Porter
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117 Wise man
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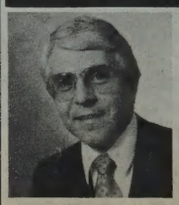

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School Lunch Menus

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 24-28

MILLBURY JR./SR. HIGH SCHOOL

MONDAY: chicken nuggets, French fries, mixed vegetables, pan roll/butter, peaches
TUESDAY: meatball grinder, French fries, corn, jello/topping
WEDNESDAY: baconburger on a roll, lettuce & tomato, French fries, fruit
THURSDAY: American chop suey, French fries, green beans, garlic bread, applecrisp/topping
FRIDAY: special cheese sandwich, chicken noodle soup, French fries, carrots/celery stix, ice cream

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

MONDAY: hot dog on a roll, baked beans, French fries, fruit cocktail
TUESDAY: chicken nuggets, French fries, corn, bread/butter, jello/topping
WEDNESDAY: juice, baconburger on a roll or pizza, lettuce & tomato, potato puffs, pudding
THURSDAY: juice, American chop suey, green beans, garlic bread, cookie
FRIDAY: special cheese sandwich, chicken noodle soup, French fries, spiced apple slices

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LIBRARY from Page 8

Staff members are knowledgeable in basic reference methods and materials and are familiar with basic reference tools, searching strategies and interviewing techniques. They are aware of major reference tools owned by Regional and other nearby libraries. Staff is also familiar with local businesses, schools, day care and other community agencies as well as activities and interests impacting on independent learning needs. Equipped with this knowledge, assistance and guidance are provided to users, both in person and over the phone, of all ages seeking help in locating appropriate materials related to their independent learning interests.

The library's collection includes basic reference tools and local history materials. It is supplemented with regional materials and reference services. The circulating collection contains self help materials as well as general interest and standard titles relevant to the needs of many people wishing to increase their knowledge or improve their skills. Awareness of library use and community interest during the collection development process ensures the collection contains current materials with sufficient strength to meet the most common independent learning interests. Standard book review sources are used as selection tools.

The library has dial up access to C/W MARS, automated bibliographic database, and a CD-ROM workstation to assist in accessing hard to find materials. Public relations efforts promote the library's reference and information service.

The library can improve its ability to cater to independent learning needs most of the time. A comprehensive community information directory created by the library would make information on community events and organizations readily available to the community.

Formal Education Support Center

The requirement of official registration and formal course work distinguishes this role from the Independent Learning role.

The library provides materials (excluding school textbooks used in school curriculum) and reference services to assist students. The emphasis here is on the needs of elementary and secondary students. The Formal Education Support role focuses primarily on providing information and supplementary materials needed to complete class assignments or to support literacy and similar programs.

In general, the staff is familiar with the public/private schools and other formal education programs in the community and student needs. Personnel are aware of the major reference tools held in nearby libraries. There are individuals on the staff that are responsible for collection development and reference services supporting the Formal Education Center role.

Materials of use to students are available in different reading levels and in a variety of formats. A photocopier is available for student use. The library makes a concerted effort to provide materials on school reading lists. It has a borrowing agreement with schools to share resources during summer vacation.

Class tours of the library and instructional use are offered to reinforce library skills learned in school.

Greater depth and duplication is necessary to keep up with student demands. A skilled staff member familiar with curriculum needs, educational principles and adept at handling young adults is needed to encourage continued and appropriate use of the library. Closer contact with teachers and administration must be cultivated. Meetings held with school librarians, teachers and administrators would enhance library services to the academic community.

Community Activities Center

The Library serves as a center for community activities by making library materials, space, and equipment available to support social, cultural and recreational activities of community groups and by co-sponsoring events with other community organizations. Use of the meeting room and art exhibit space is encouraged. Outreach programs are provided to senior citizen housing complexes, nursing homes, and other organizations.

Personnel are familiar with community events and organizations. A bulletin board listing programs and activities is maintained.

A separate meeting area and audio-visual equipment are available to community groups. There is ample parking to accommodate active use of the library.

A staff member is needed to serve as a liaison between community groups and the library in an effort to stimulate greater use of the library as a Community Activities Center.

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES
February 13, 1992

D.P.U. 92-31

TENNESSEE GAS PIPELINE COMPANY

Petition of Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, requesting authority from the Department, pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 164, Section 75C and M.G.L. Chapter 79 for the right to take by eminent domain such rights of way, permanent easements, temporary easements or such other interests to land or other property necessary for the construction, operation, maintenance, alteration and/or removal of natural gas transmission, pipeline appliances, appurtenances and other equipment situated in the Towns of Sutton, Northbridge, Grafton and Upton.

The proposed 10.11 miles of 30 inch loop pipeline will be located as follows: Beginning at a point approximately 200 feet easterly of Maple Lane and running east, northeasterly in the path of Merriam Lane and crossing a rock fence; thence turning and running southeasterly crossing Boston Road; thence turning and running easterly for approximately 2650 feet crossing Hollow Road; continuing easterly crossing Uxbridge Road and Casey Brook; continuing easterly for approximately 3200 feet; thence turning and running northeasterly running somewhat parallel to the northwesterly side of Butternut Road for approximately 1600 feet to the point where it crosses Burnap Road; continuing north, northeasterly crossing the Worcester Providence Turnpike, thence turning and running southeasterly crossing a New England Power Company easement and Stone School Road; thence turning northeasterly crossing Dodge Road and Leland Hill Road; continuing northeasterly crossing Pierce Road; thence turning easterly and crossing the municipal border from the Town of Sutton, into the Town of Northbridge approximately 350 feet westerly from the point where it crosses Chipper Hill Road continuing easterly crossing Pollard Road and Hill Street; thence turning and running northeasterly for approximately 3600 feet to the point where it crosses the Blackstone River; continuing north, northeasterly crossing the municipal border from the Town of Northbridge into the Town of Grafton at Highway #122; continuing northeasterly approximately 2200 feet to a point where it crosses Milford Road, continuing northeasterly approximately .8 miles to a point where it crosses the Grafton and Upton Railroad; continuing northeasterly crossing the municipal border of the Town of Grafton into the Town of Upton; thence turning and running easterly crossing West Creek Lake (Lake Wildwood) and Route 140; continuing easterly crossing Old Grafton Road; thence turning and running southeasterly crossing Fowler Street; thence turning and running east, northeasterly, crossing Meadow Drive and Mechanic Street; continuing north, northeasterly for approximately 2300 feet to the point where it crosses Warren Street; continuing east, northeasterly for approximately .7 miles to a point where it crosses James Road; continuing northeasterly crossing Westboro Road and ending approximately 300 feet easterly of said Westboro Road for a total of 10.11 miles of pipeline.

The Department will hold a public hearing and an evidentiary hearing on:

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1992 AT 7:30 P.M.
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The Petitioner, Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, is required to give notice of said hearing by publication hereof twice, once at least fourteen (14) days and once at least seven (7) days prior to said date in the Millbury-Sutton Chronicle, to post such notice in a conspicuous place in the city or town hall(s) for a period of not less than fourteen (14) days before the day of such hearing; to serve a copy hereof by certified mail at least fourteen (14) days prior to said date on the Chairperson of the Boards of Selectmen of Sutton, Northbridge, Grafton and Upton, Town Clerks and the Chairperson of the Planning Boards of the Towns of Sutton, Northbridge, Grafton and Upton; to serve all persons owning an interest in the land to be taken by eminent domain; to serve all persons owning real estate abutting the lands to be taken by eminent domain, hereinabove referred to, as determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation; and to serve all persons across a public way therefrom and all persons within 300 foot thereof. The petitioner is further ordered to provide a Department of Public Utilities supplemental notice to all persons owning an interest in the land to be taken by eminent domain. The petitioner is further ordered to deposit copies of its petition and supporting testimony for public inspection at the public libraries in Sutton, Northbridge, Grafton and Upton, no later than fourteen (14) days prior to the date of hearing, and to make return of service and publication at the time of the hearing.

Pursuant to 220 C.M.R. 1.03(1) (c), any person or party who desires to participate in the evidentiary hearing shall file with the Department, a written petition for leave to intervene at least seven (7) days prior to the date of the hearing.

By Order of the Department,
Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary

February 20 and 27, 1992

Millbury Planning Board
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with Chapter 41 Massachusetts General Laws Section 81W, the Millbury Planning Board will hold a public hearing to review a request by Noel Development Company to modify the Subdivision known as Oakwood Heights. The applicant seeks to obtain waivers of granite curbing to asphalt, concrete sidewalks to asphalt, required trees to no trees.

The public hearing will be conducted on March 9, 1992 at 8:00 p.m. at the Town Hall, 127 Elm Street, Millbury, MA in the Planning Board Hearing Room.

Terry Burke Dotson, Chairwoman February 13 and 20, 1992

Millbury Planning Board
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with Chapter 41, Massachusetts General Law, Section 81W, the Millbury Planning Board will hold a public hearing on Monday, March 9, 1992 at 9:00 p.m. at the Millbury Planning Board, 127 Elm Street, Millbury, MA. Said hearing is scheduled on a request of Miles Builders to modify the subdivision known as Bengston Lane. The proponent seeks to waive provisions of Section 8.03, paragraphs D and F, of the Millbury Subdivision Rules and Regulations. A full copy of this request is available in the Millbury Planning Department, 127 Elm Street, Millbury, MA during regular working hours.

Terry Burke Dotson, Chairwoman February 20 and 27, 1992

Sutton Planning Board
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Sutton Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, March 2, 1992 at 7:30 PM in the Municipal Center to review a Definitive Plan entitled "Wunschell Drive", a proposed 6 lot subdivision, located easterly by Lincoln Road, land of Sinkus, Laflamme and Gosselin; southerly by Colorio; westerly by Wunschell and Margaret Dudley; northerly by Juges and Open. Applicant is Charles Colorio; Engineer/Surveyor is Lavallee Brothers, Inc. This hearing is being held pursuant to the Subdivision Control Rules and Regulations of the Town of Sutton. The plans were filed with the Planning Board and the Town Clerk on January 29, 1992 and may be viewed during regular office hours.

Scott Paul, Chairman February 13 and 20, 1992

Sutton Planning Board
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Sutton Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, March 16, 1992 at 7:30 PM in the Municipal Center to review a Definitive Plan entitled "Sutton Green", a proposed 11 lot subdivision, located on the west by Johnson, Hutchinson, The Town of Sutton, W. B. & T. Realty Corporation, and Boston Road; on the north by land of Sanger and Pleasant Valley Corporation; on the east by land of Pleasant Valley Corporation, W. B. & T. Realty Corp., and M.J. Casa Development Trust; on the south by land of King and Clark's Reservoir. Applicant is Wainwright Bank & Trust Realty Corporation, 101 Summer Street, Boston, MA; Engineer/Surveyor is Metrowest Engineering, Inc., Framingham, MA. This hearing is being held pursuant to the Subdivision Control Rules and Regulations of the Town of Sutton. The plans were filed with the Planning Board and the Town Clerk on February 11, 1992 and may be viewed during regular office hours.

Scott Paul, Chairman February 20 and 27, 1992

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Planning Board member Arthur Moore said NEPCO "can do what they want. They can bypass us and get permits. You say talk it over, well by that time it will be up. The time for talking is over," he said. "The Power Company can do what they want. That's wrong! They say it (EMF) doesn't cause cancer; it doesn't cause leukemia. They said they would come back to us; they never did until the bylaw. It boils down to, they will get what they want."

Yardley said he didn't agree with all that Moore said and that the DPU does the best it can since it represents the whole state.

Dotson said the Power Company is hiding behind the DPU's skirt.

Yardley agreed that occasionally that happens. "It's a serious issue for us and everyone," he said. "I don't know how anybody can say that EMF's don't cause cancer."

"They (NEPCO) came in here denying it," Moore said.

Dotson said the power company showed arrogance and unconcern, "total unconcern. Wait till it's proven? Children can't wait that long. How much do you pay for a little boy's life?" she asked.

Dotson concluded by saying the community is looking to the DPU for an answer.

Gospel Recording Artists to Perform in Sutton

SUTTON - On Sunday, February 23, at 9:30 a.m., the West Sutton Baptist Church, Central Turnpike, will welcome David and Denise Reinwald, area gospel recording artists, to the morning worship service. David, guitarist, and Denise, vocalist, combine their voices and sing familiar songs, hymns and their own compositions. A special invitation is extended to the area's young people. After the service, a coffee hour will be held, hosted by Wayne and Mary Whittier. During the coffee hour, the Reinwalds will sing again.

Bingo Volunteer Sought

MILLBURY - Millbury Congregate Housing is looking for a volunteer to "call" for Bingo Night on Monday evenings 6:30-8:00 p.m. The volunteer could commit to as little as once a month or every week. There are approximately 11 residents who participate in this much enjoyed activity. Call Lisa Bennes, Congregate Coordinator, at 865-2960 for more information.

Nana Sharp with great granddaughter Kristen, age 2.

Celebrates 95th Birthday

MILLBURY - Margaret Sharp was honored on February 9 at a dinner celebrating her 95th birthday. Her three daughters, 10 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren, sister-in-law, son-in-law, nieces and nephews attended the affair. Margaret lives at Linden Apartments, 2 Pearl St

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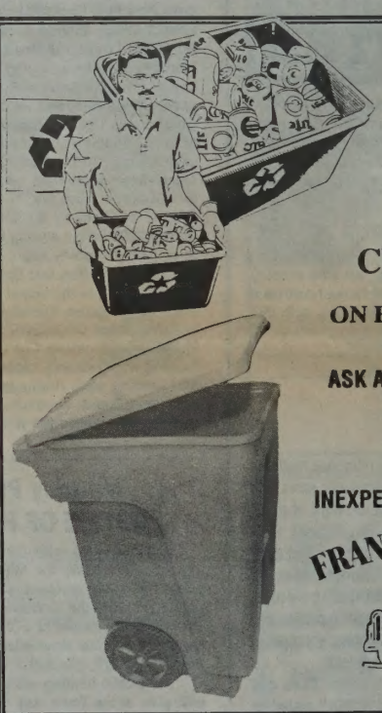

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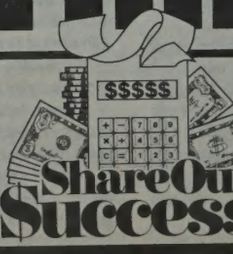

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